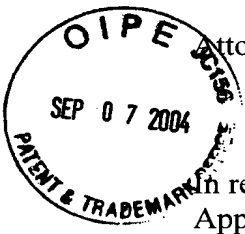


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**RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT**

Sir:

The present Amendment is provided in response to the Office Action mailed March 24, 2004 (the "Office Action"). It is respectfully requested that this application be reconsidered in view of the following remarks. Applicants provide the present Response pursuant to the rules stated in revised 37 C.F.R. 1.121 that became effective on July 30, 2003. Remarks begin on page 2 below.